

Department of Veterans Affairs, Office of Acquisition and Logistics, Technology Acquisition Center

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How to apply for a job with the VA's Technology Acquisition Center (TAC) in Monmouth County, NJ:

- 1. Go to www.usajobs.gov and click on the "Search Jobs" tab at the top.
- 2. Then click on the "Agency Search" tab.
- 3. Go to the second box and scroll down to "VETERANS AFFAIRS, DEPARTMENT OF" and select subhead "Deputy Assistant Secretary for Acquisition & Logistics."
- 4. Under "Applicant Eligibility" near the bottom, select the "Yes" button and click the "Search for Jobs" button on the bottom.

This will deliver Technology Acquisition Center position announcements along with application procedures. All TAC announcements will be posted on www.usajobs.gov

Department of Veterans Affairs (DVA) Facts:

- 2nd largest cabinet level agency under the President of the United States
- Employs approximately 286,000 people
- Serves over 23 million veterans and their families daily
- Operates 153 medical centers, 755 outpatient clinics, 230 veteran's centers, 128 national cemeteries and 54 regional offices.
- 6th largest health insurance company and home to the largest healthcare system
- President Obama sent a budget to Congress increasing VA's budget by over \$25 billion to be paid over the next 5 years.

DVA, Office of Acquisition and Logistics, Technology Acquisition Center Info:

- Currently approved for 167 employees in Monmouth County
- TAC employees will be in 2 different temporary Monmouth County facilities for 18-24 months while a permanent facility can be located within Monmouth County.
- TAC supports the big "A" in acquisition—contracting and program management
- TAC is a reimbursable organization with growth potential
- TAC staff will include several disciplines. Those disciplines will include contract specialists/contracting officers/procurement analysts/procurement coordinators/price analysts/earned value management specialists/budget analysts/business systems analysts/program analysts/engineers/program managers/attorneys/administrative assistants
- The TAC will be hiring entry, mid-level and senior level managers with a Senior Executive Service (SES) Member as the Director
- Salaries will be listed in the job announcements on <u>www.usajobs.gov</u>
- TAC positions are open to current federal employees, reinstatement eligible's and those seeking appointments as interns.

 TAC provides training and tuition assistance programs comparable to other federal agencies to include DoD. Additionally, all DAWIA level certifications transfer with you to the DVA's TAC.

http://www.va.gov/oamm/oa/tac/index.cfm

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